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WASHINGTON, D. C. (AP)

President Eisenhower Saturday named John Von Neumann, Princeton, N. J., mathematics professor, to be a member of the Atomic Energy Commission for a five-year term expiring June 30, 1959.

Von Neumann, 50-year-old professor at the Institute for Advanced Study at Princeton, succeeds Eugene M. Zuckert, who left the commission when his term expired last June 30.

The new appointment, subject to senate confirmation later, will bring the commission again to its full membership of five.

Lineup

The White House said Von Neumann, a native of Budapest, Hungary, is an independent politically. The commission thus is now composed of three Republicans, Joseph Campbell, Willard Frank Libby and Chairman Lewis L. Strauss; one Democrat, Thomas E. Murray; and one independent.

Von Neumann has been a member of the general advisory committee to AEC, and a member of the scientific advisory board of the air force where he serves as chairman of a nuclear weapons panel.

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He also is a member of the scientific advisory committee of the army ordnance corps and a consultant to the central intelligence agency.

He is a former president of the American Mathematical Society. He was a visiting professor at Princeton University in 1930 and a professor in 1931-33. The Institute for Advanced Study, with which he is now connected, is not a part of the Princeton University.